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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I support small ISPs like Sonic.net. Please ensure their continued access to fiberoptic networks and infrastructure so the internet is not just a big monopoly. thank you very much for your time and consideration I'm keeping the internet free and open

Thanks,  
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